

CHAPTER NO 524

HOUSE BILL NO. 1945

By Representatives Briley, Sherry Jones

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1973

By Senator Henry

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 37-1-114, relative to juveniles.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 37-1-114, is amended by deleting subdivision (c)(2) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(2) There is probable cause to believe the child has committed any other delinquent offense involving the likelihood of serious physical injury or death, or an offense constituting a felony, violation of probation or violation of aftercare, and the child:

(A) Is currently on probation;

(B) Is currently awaiting court action on a previous alleged delinquent offense;

(C) Is alleged to be an escapee or absconder from a juvenile facility, institution or other court-ordered placement; or

(D) Has, within the previous twelve (12) months, willfully failed to appear at any juvenile court hearing, engaged in violent conduct resulting in serious injury to another person or involving the likelihood of serious injury or death, or been adjudicated delinquent by virtue of an offense constituting a felony if committed by an adult;

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 28, 1999



JIMMY RAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



JOHN S. WILDER
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 17th day of June 1999



DON SUNDQUIST, GOVERNOR